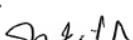
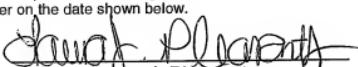


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Application Serial Number: 10/559,311	Filing Date: 4/28/2006		Examiner: Alana M. Harris		Art Unit: 1643	
Invention: Method for Diagnosing Cancer and Method for Determining Cancer Susceptibility						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	MINUS	20	0	\$26	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	5	0	\$110	\$ 0.00
<p>— Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 10/1/2008 to and through ___, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> one month (\$130.00)      <input type="checkbox"/> three months (\$1,110.00)  <input type="checkbox"/> two months (\$490.00)      <input type="checkbox"/> four months (\$1,730.00)</p>						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ ___ is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charge \$ ___ to Deposit Account ___.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required.</p>						
<u>December 24, 2008</u> date			 Jeffrey L. Wilson Reg. No. 36,058			
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